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MR. NESSEN: I think you have had by now the Executive Order and fact sheet, I hope, long enough to read it and make some sense out of it. As you know, that material and this briefing are embargoed for noon release, the time at which the material will be delivered to Congress.

For the briefing today, we have Jack Marsh, Counsellor to the President, who coordinated the President's efforts to study and reorganize the intelligence community; Attorney General Levi; Brent Scowcroft, the Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs; Mike Duval, who was the Executive Director of the group here at the White House which studied the matter and proposed options for reorganizing the intelligence community; and George Bush, the Director of Central Intelligence.

The first thing we would like to do is to give you precisely what the President gave to the Members of Congress last evening at 6 o'clock without removing anything but showing you exactly the presentation that he made to the Members of Congress.

Now this requires the presentation of some slides on the